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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ruth M. Glines spent the week end in Berlin, visiting friends.

Miss Hattie Foster is the guest of Mr. Charles Eames and family.

Governor Percival P. Baxter was a guest at Bethel Inn over the week end.

The many friends of Mr. C. C. Bryant are glad to see him on the streets again.

Mrs. Alfred Adams of West Bethel was at Mrs. J. C. Anderson's, Tuesday.

Mrs. Percy Flint has returned from Wilson's Mills to her home on Chapman Street.

Mr. Walter Russ of Auburn was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sessions.

Mrs. L. M. Glines was in Hebron, Sunday, to see her husband, who is improving slowly.

Miss Minnie Capen visited her brother at the Maine General Hospital, Portland, last Friday.

All mills, stores, schools and business places were closed Monday in observance of Armistice Day.

Mrs. William Lowe was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hiram Wilcox, at Norway the first of the week.

Mr. John Bunting had the good fortune Monday morning to shoot a one hundred and eight pound buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wheeler and son of Portland have been guests of Mrs. B. C. Barlow for a few days.

Mr. G. L. Thurston was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Cleveland West, and family at Errol, N. H., Armistice Day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Russell and daughter, Adelaide, and Miss Marion Hutchins were in Norway, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Walter King, and family at Bryant's Pond, Monday.

Mrs. H. S. Jodrey accompanied a party of friends to Boston and visited her daughter, Mrs. Green, returning last week.

Miss Dorothy Chandler returned to South Paris, Monday, having spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Chandler.

Mr. Silas Konstant has completed his labors at the Sessions garage and expects to run the Tebbets birch mill at Newry Corner this winter.

Mrs. A. E. Herriek returned from Abington, Mass., Monday, after spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Lindell Blanchard, and family.

Mrs. Abbie Bean and Miss Annie Hamlin closed their home Monday and started for Fall River, Florida. Miss Emily Davis from Norway joined them at South Paris.

Miss Ethel Capen returned from Portland, Sunday evening, and has opened her school again. The report from the hospital from her father seems more favorable.

Mrs. O. M. Mason and Miss Alice Mason closed their home for the winter, Monday, and went to Massachusetts. Mrs. Mason will spend the winter in Orlando, Fla., and Miss Mason will stay in Massachusetts.

Mr. Harry Partridge came to Bethel last Friday, returning to his home, Manchester by the Sea, Mass., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. J. U. Partridge, and his sister, Miss Belle Partridge, who have closed their home for the winter and will spend the time in Massachusetts.

The many friends of Messrs. Ray and Ray Cummings will be pleased to know of their arrival in California after an auto trip across country. They were twenty-five days on the road, making stops at many points of interest along the way. The distance traveled was 4000 miles.

On Tuesday, Nov. 7, a luncheon party at Bethel Inn was given by Mrs. Addison E. Herriek in honor of Mrs. Marion Mansfield. In the enforced absence of Mrs. Herriek, Mrs. Gilbert Twiss acted as hostess. Those present were Mrs. Tuell, Miss Mansfield, Mrs. Margaret Herriek, Mr. Paul Badger and Mr. Irving Carver.

## BADGER—MANSFIELD

It was an unusually beautiful occasion that gave Marion Mansfield to Paul Badger in the holy bonds of matrimony on Wednesday, November 7th at four o'clock; the Reverend S. T. Achenbach, the officiating clergyman, with Margaret Herriek the maid of honor and Irving Carver the best man.

As one turned from the grey, misty day into the brilliancy of environment and warmth of social atmosphere in the Carver home, Emerson's words came to mind,—"Man is the only thing that can be bright without the sun!"

Ushered up the decorated staircase to view the lovely and valuable wedding gifts, an artistic spirit was immediately felt that made the whole house a lovely setting around the two for whom, by loving friends, this beautiful hour of earthly life was planned.

The long living-room with its deep bay window was charmingly decorated; slender white lattices, holding trailing ferns and lark-blossoms, studded with "chrysanthemums," made a most unusual frame for the bridal group, against a background of chrysanthemums and green. The ceremony was performed by candlelight and as the husband and wife turned to receive congratulations there fell from a beautiful white bell, with floating ribbons, gaily rung by the maid of honor and best man—a shower of rose petals.

Mrs. Mansfield, the bride's mother, graciously welcomed the guests. Miss Margaret Herriek, in an exquisite gown of pale green, the creation of our famous Bethel-Boston modiste, holding a sheaf of lovely yellow chrysanthemums, attended the bride as maid of honor.

There, in her wonderful hour of romance, stood a truly "blushing bride," (wearing her mother's wedding gown of heavy white satin, whose dignified lines of years ago lent themselves perfectly to modern standards, the floating veil's soft folds adding the illusion in wedding gown always demands,) with the orange blossom bandeau across the brow framing a radiantly happy face, whose smiles were reflected in the glad eyes of the tall figure beside her.

Mr. Carver as best man, was most efficient in his various capacities and Mrs. Badger, the bridegroom's mother, drew all guests to her side. Mrs. Badger's rendering of "Oh promise me," with Mrs. Russell's sympathetic accompaniment was a charming feature before the private ceremony, while the most perfect Wedding March ever written was beautifully played by Mrs. Russell as the bridal party took their places. The rooms vibrated with neighborly loving kindness. Delicious ice, cakes and punch were perfectly served by the skillful staff of the Bethel Inn and finally a superb wedding cake was placed before the bride who graciously placed each guest with more than enough to "dream over!"

The fifty guests present were unusually conscious that the village also shared in "giving away" this bride. The young girl who came among us so modestly and carried off honors from Gould's Academy in a "tie" with her maid of honor—a graduate of Smith College with honors and prizes—the successful and regretted teacher—the loyal friend and devoted daughter! Surely a generous bestowal has befallen the fortunate man who, all felt, was worthy to receive such a priceless gift. Mr. Badger is a University of Maine man and enters immediately upon a business life.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Badger, after including Washington in their wedding trip, will return to their waiting home in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, where, with the bridegroom's parents, they enter upon a life that promises much happiness and usefulness for the young couple. The affection and best wishes of their large number of Bethel friends will follow them.

The road crew have been cleaning out the ditches and culverts during the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Oliver expect to move into the new Methodist parsonage this week.

Mrs. Louisa Howe has been spending a short time with her mother, Mrs. Alvin Mitchell, and her son, Winfield B. Howe and family. Mrs. Howe has left for Florida where she will spend the winter.

The Red White and Blue Sale and supper which was held Nov. 8 by the W. R. C. was a success, socially and financially. The fancy table, spread table and candy table all had their share of patronage. The delicious supper was well patronized. After the supper the regular meeting was held.

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## NEWS OF INTEREST FROM RUMFORD

Company B, 103rd Infantry, Maine National Guard, is to be transferred from Rumford to some other town in the State, unless steps are immediately taken to improve the present condition of the company. There has been dissatisfaction among the personnel that has had a gradual breaking down of the morale of the men, lack of interest, lack of cooperation, and finally lowered the grade of the company to a standard which is not either fair or permissible in military circles. The trouble is said to have started during labor troubles, and it has gone from bad to worse.

There have been Commanding Officers of the company who have labored long and under difficulties to correct the faults, but they have been forced to resign for business reasons. Then, too, the public at large, so it is stated, have been indifferent to the welfare of the local organization, and this has not helped. Company B of Rumford has always been one of the best of the regiments. In peace and in war, they established an enviable record. They were soldiers and gentlemen, well officered, well disciplined and altogether worthy to represent their town and State.

Rumford wishes to retain this command. They wish a Company to uphold the honor of the former ones, and they have the men, both those composing the command at the present time, and others not serving, to make such an organization. There is need of immediate action, both on the part of the guardsmen, and the citizens of the town.

Additional contributions to the Fire Relief Fund have raised the total to \$10,129.53. Miss M. E. Rowe, who has carried on the most of this relief work, has about completed her duties here. Eighty-five families have been frequently visited at their homes by Miss Rowe, and every attention has been paid to their needs. When each and everyone of these families have been established on a basis as nearly equal as possible to their living conditions before the disaster, Miss Rowe's duties will be completed.

Rumford is assured a golf course and country club. Fifty-one men interested in the project have subscribed the amount necessary to purchase land on which the course and club house will be situated, and negotiations have been practically completed between the land owners and the Androscoggin Valley Land Company, the holding company that will buy and own the land. The land is located on the State highway, between Mexico Corners and Dixfield, one mile and a half below Mexico Corners, and three miles from Dixfield. Mr. Alec Chisholm of the Portland Country Club has been in town recently laying out the golf course, and plans and specifications will be ready in a week or two.

Miss M. E. Rowe, special Red Cross field worker, recently explained to a gathering of Red Cross executives, the existing conditions in Rumford today, and made two important recommendations in which she advocated the hiring of a welfare worker, and the establishment of an adequate Public Health Nursing Service. Miss Rowe, who is here in connection with the Fire Relief Fund work, is an experienced field worker in the service in the Red Cross, and her recommendations are the result of personal observation and study of conditions. A re-organization of the local chapter has taken place, the following officers being elected: Chairman, Oliver Pettengill; vice chairman, Rev. Father Holmes; secretary, Robert Hazen; treasurer, Mrs. R. E. Hazen; members of the executive council, Dr. W. T. Baker, Rev. Mr. Curtis, Dr. W. T. Howe, G. J. Gonyea, Rev. Mr. Haskell, Rev. Allen Brown, Eugene Villacoff, Mrs. W. A. Clough, Dr. H. Douglas Clark. As the work develops, other members will be added to the executive board.

Miss Rowe states that there are too many families in Rumford today receiving town aid, and that if there was some person whose business it was to go into the homes, these very families would be found to need not so much money from the town, as the guidance in spending what they have. This would be the service of the welfare worker, while the Public Health Nurse would look after the children of preschool age, as is now done so well for the school children by the school nurse. Then the children of Rumford would be better prepared for school, when their age allowed.

Mrs. Angie Parlin has accepted a position at the Madison House, Portland Springs, and will go there this week.

The first basketball game of the season will be played with the alumni on Friday evening, Nov. 23.

Dr. H. L. Bryant of Bangor was a recent visitor at the school. Dr. Bryant was once a student at Gould's.

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THE J. E. JONES LETTER

RADIO KEEPS UP WITH THE SUN

## CHARLES H. DAVIS

After a number of months illness at his home on Mason Street, Charles H. Davis passed away Tuesday, Nov. 6. Mr. Davis was the son of Richmond and Sarah True Davis, and was born at Oxford, Me., Jan. 9, 1860. He was united in marriage with Corie Evelyn McAllister at Grafton, Me., on June 1, 1886. Two daughters and one son were born to them: Celia Elsie, Ethel Marion and Moses Richmond. After this marriage and until the time of his wife's death on June 28, 1893, he was engaged in farming and lumbering businesses.

Since 1893, until a few months ago when failing health forbade, he has driven the stage from Bethel to Upton. Up to within a few years this route went to Errol, N. H. During his many years as stage-driver Mr. Davis made many friends by his kind and courteous manner.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Friday forenoon at 11 o'clock, conducted by his pastor, Rev. C. B. Oliver, and the Masonic order of which he was a member also conducted their impressive ceremony. Interment was in the family lot in Grafton.

The many beautiful floral tributes were silent tokens of the esteem in which he was held.

He is survived by one daughter, Miss Elsie Davis, and son, Moses R. Davis; also one sister, Mrs. C. F. Abbott, and three brothers, Sumner P. Davis of Newry, Me., John True Davis and Gerald H. Davis of Portsmouth, N. H.

G. A. NOTES

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Three years ago there was a big gathering of army officials in Washington, and in order to surprise the Secretary of War and the other guests, the music made by a life and drum corps in another part of the city, some three or four miles away, was brought into the room and by means of amplifiers it reproduced accurately. Radio was not a new thing three years ago, but even then this event was so unusual and important that it was national. In press dispatches all over the United States. It was less than four years ago that the Radio Corporation of America was formed at the urgent insistence of representatives of the Navy Department, who realized something of the possibilities and usefulness that the world was destined to receive from the new science.

The marvels of radio have furnished lots of thrills for the civilized world. At first the messages were vague, and were produced as the results of unusual propensities and experiments, but gradually the science became so perfected that the voice of Abraham Lincoln speaking at the Capital before Congress, was heard far and wide. Then came the time when Americans talked from the sea to England, and the British when we across of not being able to make a joke, with back word complaining that the "American news" was too pronounced.

Meanwhile radio grew and grew. A prize fight was broadcasted to Argentina; strikers Japan with telegraph and cable stations destroyed and deserted, sent out the news of its great disaster by the wireless. One wonder came so fast upon another that people became accustomed to them, and rather expected these things to happen in wireless marvels.

But the opening of the new broadcast station at Warsaw, Poland, has

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## NACCOMI TEMPLE CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Nacconi Temple, Pythian Sisters, observed their 2nd anniversary, Nov. 7, by entertaining members of Surbury Lodge and their ladies.

The hall was prettily decorated with the Temple colors. An interesting program was presented as follows:

Address of Welcome, Sister Sanborn Response, Roy Andrews, Dorothy Goodnow, Lilla Morgan, Mrs. Percy Brink, Miss Brink, Edward Bennett, Arthur Dudley, Carrie French.

Presentation of birthday cake to Nacconi Temple by Bernice Spearin.

Following the program whilst and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour. Refreshments were served. Several Knights expressed the wish that this be an annual event.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Regular Sunday morning services at 10.45. Sermon topic, "The Conquest of Fear."

Church School at 12.15 Sunday noon.

Young Peoples Christian Union, Sunday evening at 7.15. Devotional service followed by a social hour.

On Saturday afternoon, Nov. 17th, the Y. P. C. U. will hold a social in the Chapel. This is for both old and young. Come one and all. Come great and small. Admission 10 cents. Home made candies on sale.

The Ladies of the Circle will hold a sale of fancy work and aprons on the afternoon of Wednesday, Nov. 21, at the Chapel. A cafeteria supper will be served from 5.30 to 7.00 o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. C. B. Oliver, Pastor

Thursday evening, Nov. 15: All members and friends of the church and congregation are invited to a social supper at 6.30 or earlier. This is not a "pay" supper, but a banquet for fellowship given by the ladies of the parish to those who will come with a good appetite and a cheerful disposition expressed with a smile plus a hearty handshake. Keep your seats after the banquet for there will be speeches and original poetry for the occasion.

The Chum Study Class will meet at the new Methodist parsonage Friday afternoon at 4. The subject is Faith (memory verse John XIV, 12). Scripture for meditation, Heb. XI.

Next Sunday is Good Literature Day. Morning worship at 10.45. There will be special music. Sermon by the pastor.

Our mid-week worship every Tuesday evening at 7.30. A leader who gives people a chance, keeps himself out of sight and observes the rules of public speech, Mr. Fred Wood.

Church School at 12 every Sunday.

Program in Young People's Department will be: Life and Songs of Fannie Crosby.

The Epworth League at 6.15. "Witnesses for Christ."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. B. T. Achenbach, Pastor

Thursday, Nov. 15, 5.30: Meeting of the Ladies' Club with Mrs. Achenbach.

6.45: Chorus rehearsal.

7.30: Mid-week meeting.

Sunday, Nov. 18:

10.45: Worship conducted by the pastor.

12.00: Church School.

7.00: C. B. meeting. Topic, "How Obtain a Great Missionary Advance?" Leaders, Willard Dean and Taylor Clough.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Spring Street

Sunday School at 10.30 A. M.

Sunday services at 10.45 A. M.

LOCKE'S MILLS

Rev. C. B. Oliver, Pastor

Sunday morning, Nov. 18, Good Literature Day. Worship at 9. Sermon by the minister.

The Church School meets at 10.

Evening mid-week worship Wednesday at 7.

BOOBY NEWS

There will be a special Scout meeting next Monday evening at 7. The committee men are given urgent invitation to attend thereby showing their support. A three fold program is prepared:

1. Motion.

2. Bandaging.

3. Demonstration of proper and improper shoulder packs.

Closing with salute to flag.

## GRANGE NEWS

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange met in regular session Saturday evening, Nov. 3, at 8.15 o'clock. All officers present except Chaplain, A. S. and Pomona. The committee reported about \$40 proceeds of last dance. Under new business the Grange voted its support, financially, and any other ways possible, to Sister Eva Eames and family in this, their time of sorrow and distress. A committee on resolutions on the death of Dr. Ernest Eames was appointed: Bros. L. E. Wright, F. I. French and Ernest Holt.

Literary program:

Each member entertains 2 minutes.

Program consisted of recitations, readings and jokes, reading of the Declaration of Purposes of the Grange and a shopping race. Seventeen members and one visitor present.

OXFORD POMONA

Oxford County Pomona met with Bear River Grange, Tuesday, Nov. 6, with a good attendance, and a fine program. An excellent dinner of baked beans and pastry was served. Next Pomona meets with Paris Grange.

WEDDING RECEPTION AT SOUTH BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason gave a reception to their friends the evening of November tenth at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, at South Bethel.

A large and merry party were gathered in the spacious house which was aglow with light and gayly decorated with garlands of evergreen and pink crepe paper.

A cordial "welcome to all" was the sentiment of the evening and with games and jokes the hours sped rapidly by.

Everyone did "eat their fill" of the delicious treat of ice cream and cake followed by pop corn and various kinds of candy which was served by willing helpers.

At a late hour the guests departed expressing many good wishes for a long and happy life to the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason received a great many beautiful presents, consisting of silver, china, glass and linen. Many articles for beautifying the home, resting alongside the more prosaic kitchen utensils, flanked by a glass jar holding greenbacks to the amount of a hundred dollars or more were also noticed on the gift stand.

It is very pleasing to their friends to learn that the young couple will make their home at South Bethel.

MUSIC EXHIBITION

At the Gymnasium Thursday Evening, November 22

The public is cordially invited to come and hear the little folks in the first and second grades. Those in the third and fourth grades. Those in the fifth and sixth grades will play rhythmically on horse-shoes as well as sing. Those in the seventh and eighth grades will sing two-part songs.

The orchestra will play and the mandolin club which consists of twelve mandolins, six ukuleles and one guitar. The glee club will sing in costume. All come, no admission.

ARMISTICE SUNDAY IN BETHEL

Armistice Sunday was observed in the Methodist Church with Governor Baxter as a guest of honor. The program included the following:

Invocation, Rev. S. T. Achenbach

Singing, "America," Congregation

Reading of Scripture

Prayer, Rev. S. T. Achenbach

Selection by chorus composed of singers from the three churches

Sermon, "Our Faith in the Nation," Rev. Walter W. Wolfe

Selection by chorus

Talk by Governor Baxter

Benediction, Rev. S. T. Achenbach

GOV. BAXTER IN BETHEL

Governor Percival P. Baxter was a visitor in town over the week end. In looking for a place to spend a day or two of rest from his duties at the State House he chose our town and was the guest at Bethel Inn during his stay here. He was invited to give a talk at the Armistice Sunday service at the Methodist Church. His talk was very short. His words were full of praise for the town and its beautiful Bethel Inn.

Mr. W. W. Hastings has closed his home on Broad Street for the winter and left Monday for Fall River, Florida. Miss Mae Wiley, who has been housekeeper at his home, accompanied him.







# The VILLAGE BLACKSMITH

A 1923 melodrama, direct from its New York run



Odeon Hall, Bethel, Sat., Nov. 17

Admission: 20c, 35c and 50c  
ORCHESTRA OF THREE PIECES

## COMING: Big Metro Special "HEARTS AFLAME"

A remarkable story of love and intrigue in the lumber camps of the far Northwest. Positively the most thrilling forest fire scenes ever shown on the screen.

### EAST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and two sons motored to Auburn over the week end, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Hastings were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Cole, in Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rich and party of Berlin, N. H., were over the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bean. Mr. S. B. Newton motored to Fairfield, Me., Saturday, guest of relatives there, returning Sunday.

Mr. Guy Bartlett is slowly recovering from a serious illness of the flu. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Millett of South Paris were last week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Hastings and family.

They made several hunting trips, also motored to Silver Lake, Roxbury, for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swan with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Swan left Saturday on an auto trip to Rhode Island this week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Swan, Apponaug, R. I., and also visit relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. H. O. Blake recently entertained her daughter, Mrs. George Swan; her

granddaughter, Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell, and great granddaughters, baby Kathleen, from Dixfield, also Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reed and two daughters from Farmington, and Mrs. Oscar Dyke of Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bean were last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bean.

### GRAFTON PLANTATION DEFERRED

Mrs. Lilla Coleman is at Randolph, Me., visiting friends.

Many a successful hunter finds his way to Grafton.

Mr. Lester Walker has finished work for Joe Jolbert.

Mrs. Dursilla Walker is quite well at this writing.

Mr. Harry Soule wife and son, Harris, of St. Albans, Vt., are at their cabin for a few days hunting.

Elsie Vail and Leon Eaman were united in marriage at Rumford, Oct. 31. Mr. Eaman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eaman of Rumford. Mrs. Eaman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vail of Grafton. They will make their home in Rumford.

### RADIO PROGRAMS

Westinghouse Radio Station WBZ  
Springfield, Mass.  
337 Meters—890 Kilocycles

#### THURSDAY

A. M.  
11.55 Arlington Time Signals; Weather Reports; Boston and Springfield Market Reports

P. M.  
6.00 Dinner concert by the WBZ trio  
"Dance Macabre" Saint-Saens  
"Allegretto Giocoso" Nie  
"Scene and Duet" from "Martha"  
"Mignonne" Florent  
"Serenade" Godard  
"Anitra's Dance" Grieg  
"Cavatina" Hoff  
"Scherzo" Gade  
"Narcissus" Nevin  
"Hungarian Dance No. 7" Brahms

7.00 "More Game—Better Shooting," an outing story from Field and Stream

"Newspaper Talks About Farm Matters, Etc.," by Herbert Myrick, Editor of Farm and Home

"Memos for Thanksgiving Dinners," by Mrs. Mary R. Reynolds, Household Editor of Farm and Home

7.30 Twilight Tales for the Kiddies  
"Story Openings and Endings," ninth lecture of a course in Short-Story Writing by Dr. J. Berg Esenwein

Farmers' Period—Letter from the New England Homestead

Concert by Alwyn E. W. Bach, baritone; Paul Clark, violinist; Russell Day, accompanist

Baritone Solo, "Il Balen" from "Il Traviatore" Verdi  
Mr. Bach

Violin Solo, "Dances from Henry VIII" German  
Mr. Clark

Baritone group  
a) "Autumn" Graft-Schaefer  
(b) "Windy Nights" Graft-Schaefer

(c) "The Vagabond" Thayer  
Mr. Bach

Violin Solo, "On Wings of Song" Mendelssohn  
Mr. Clark

Baritone Solo, "The Bedouin Love Song" Pissotti  
Mr. Bach

Violin Solo, "Tango" Albentz-Elman  
Mr. Clark

Baritone Solo, "The Blind Ploughman" Clarke  
Mr. Bach

Violin Solo, "Romance" Wieniawski  
Mr. Clark

Baritone group  
(a) "The Paper's Drive" Homer  
(b) "Uncle Sam" Homer

Violin Solo, "Serenade" Drilla  
Mr. Clark

Baritone Solo, "The Worker" Gounod  
Mr. Bach

0.00 Bedtime story for grown-ups by Orison S. Marden

0.55 Arlington Time Signals (Eastern Standard Time)

#### FRIDAY

A. M.  
11.55 Arlington Time Signals; Weather Reports; Boston and Springfield Market Reports

P. M.  
6.00 Dinner concert by the WBZ Quintette  
"Serenade Espagnole" Bizet  
"Caresing Butterfly" Bartok

Selection "Aida" Verdi  
"Mignonne" Florent  
"Intermezzo Patterpatter" Kodan

"Palm As The Night" (Trio) Behm  
"Spanish Dance No. 4" Maschowski

"Festival Dance and Valse of the Hours" from "Coppelia" Delibes  
"Premier Amour" Beethoven

Twilight Tales for the Kiddies  
Current Book Review by R. A. Marlensaid of the Great Square Book Store

Farmers' Period—"A Cooperative Journeyman," by Major Frank Knox, Editor of the Manchester (N. H.) Union and Leader

Story for grown-ups by Orison S. Marden

0.55 Arlington Time Signals  
Program of Chamber Music by the WBZ Quintette; Leslie B. Mason, tenor; Mrs. Eleanor Turner Lazzarini, accompanist

"March Mignonne" Fokiel  
WBZ Quintette  
Tenor Solo, "Without Thee"

Mr. Mason  
Tenor Solo, "Song of the Night Guard" Nevin

Mr. Mason  
RADIO PROGBA MTWQ ...  
Waltz from "Serenade for Strings" Tschalkowsky

WBZ Quintette  
Tenor group  
"I Love Thee" Grieg  
"Morning Dew" Grieg  
"The Poet's Heart" Grieg

Mr. Mason  
"In the Mosque" from "Caucasian Sketches" Ivanov  
WBZ Quintette

Tenor Solo, "The Call" Spross  
Mr. Mason  
Tenor Solo, "Thank God for a Garden" Del Riego

Mr. Mason  
"March of the Sardin" from "Caucasian Sketches" Ivanov  
WBZ Quintette

#### SATURDAY

A. M.  
11.55 Arlington Time Signals; Weather Reports; Boston and Springfield Market Reports

P. M.  
3.30 Organ recital by Arthur H. Turner, Municipal Organist

7.00 Dinner concert by the Hotel Kimball Trio direct from the Hotel Kimball dining room; Jan Geerts, violinist and director; Angela Godard Loneragan, cellist; Paul Lawrence, pianist

7.30 Twilight Tales for the Kiddies  
"Bringing the World to America," prepared by "Our World" magazine

8.00 Concert by Mrs. Carrie E. Goodell, soprano; Mrs. Robert A. Case, accompanist; Myrtle C. Atchison, pianist

Soprano Solo, "Sally Bows" Bostemann  
Mrs. Goodell

Piano group  
(a) "To a Water Lily" from Woodland Sketches MacDowell  
(b) "By a Meadow Brook" Miss Atchison

Soprano Solo, "Home-Along" Sanderson  
Mrs. Goodell

Soprano group  
(a) "Annie Laurie" Scott  
(b) "Believe Me, if all Those Endearing Young Charms" Mrs. Goodell

Piano Solo, "Ballads in A Flat Major Op. 47" Chopin  
Miss Atchison

Soprano Solo, "Come, Ye Blessed" Seatt  
Mrs. Goodell

Soprano Solo, "Break O' Day" Sanderson  
Mrs. Goodell

Piano Solo, "Polichinelle Op. 3 No. 4" Rachmaninoff  
Miss Atchison

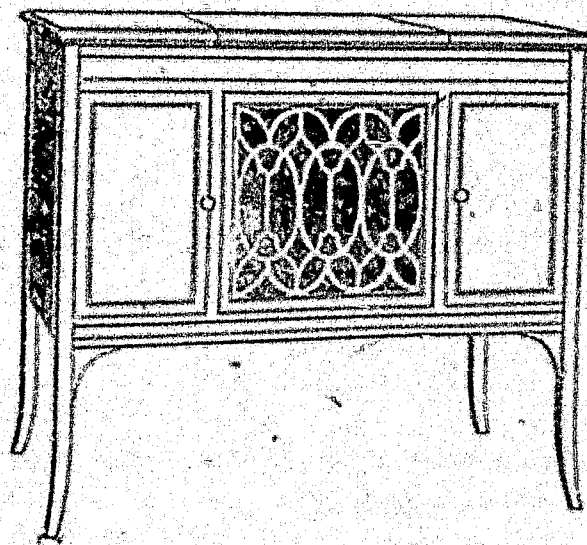
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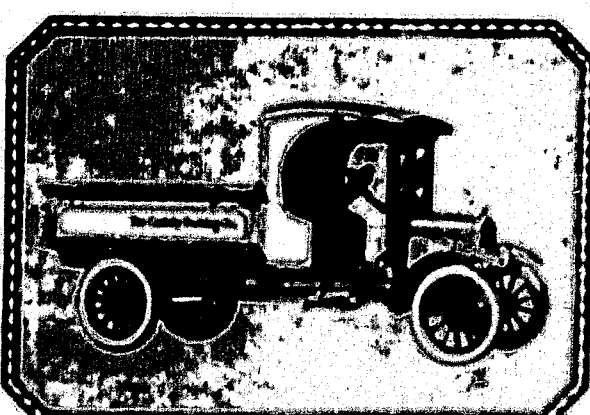
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## BAR ALL INDIANS

British Clubs Refuse to Admit Wealthy Natives.

Even a Millionaire Merchant or a Maharaja is Never Permitted to Enter Sacred Precincts.

I suddenly wondered if any Indian had ever been invited to the yacht club (Bombay). I knew, of course, that no Indian ever had; but my understanding and very casual thought was that the great Indian political offensive might have broken down at least some of the outer works of British social exclusiveness.

It has, too, as a matter of fact, but a Britisher would never picture his club as an outer work; he would think of it rather as an inner citadel. I recalled that I was somewhat shocked when I learned that no member of this club could invite an Indian into it for any purpose whatsoever; and it made no difference what rank or plentiful lack of it the Indian might have either.

He might be a millionaire merchant or a maharaja. He might be a distinguished citizen prominent in any one of the learned professions; he might be a celebrated author or eminent scientist of some sort—India produces a considerable number of all such men; or he might be just an ordinary Indian gentleman.

Nevertheless he could not enter the sacred precincts of the Englishman's club. And it is said that this fact—a fact repeated all over India wherever there is an Englishman's club—and that which it denotes as being fundamental in the British character have done more to undermine the British imperial structure in India than all the alleged economic and political injustices combined.

To an Englishman, an Indian, no matter who he may be, is and always has been, not an Indian but a native; and though the high caste Indian resents being referred to as a native more bitterly than he resents anything else on earth, the average Englishman in India—with exceptions, to be sure—goes on thinking of Indians merely as natives, and referring to them as such not only in conversations in which Indians participate but in the press as well, and even in their more serious writings about India.—Eleanor Franklin Egan in the Saturday Evening Post.

**General Sherman Showed Pique.**  
General Sherman, when making a tour of inspection of the military establishments of Europe, came to Constantinople and brought to the minister (George H. Baker, the noted playwright, 1871). Frederick Grant, just out of West Point, who came as an aid to General Sherman, and who was a very attractive young man of twenty-two. The sultan, hearing that the president's son was coming, conceived of the event as a visit from the crown prince of the United States, and he looked upon considering General Sherman in the light of a caretaker in the young sovereign.

On one occasion the sultan was taking the air on the Bosphorus and his boat passed that of the visiting party. The sultan at that time never spoke to any one, but his gaze was fixed on a salute, and he fixed that gaze unmistakably upon Lieutenant Grant. When the boat passed, Grant turned impulsively to Sherman and cried out: "He spoke to me! I saw him!" Sherman was disgusted. "Yes, he did," he growled, "and I'd like to spank you!"—Scribner's Magazine.

**Big and Little.**  
Former Vice President Marshall on his return from Europe said to a New York reporter:  
"Big men are little men. Lloyd George is little. Poincare is little. The Whittier was little. Napoleon was little. Mark Twain, Jay Gould—let the list be endless."  
"I heard a story in London about one of these big little men who had a very tall, stout son. He took him to Hoodle's club one day and introduced him proudly to old Lord Eke."  
"Oh Lord Eke looked from the big one to the little father."  
"He said, 'a block off the old chin'?"

**What College Did for Him.**  
Editorial charges claim that college makes a man more alert and ready. The proposition is that you send a man to college to absorb a mass of general information—you go there to learn to think.

A couple of magazines were having an argument about it. To end it, one of them sent to the other office for a college graduate in his employ. They asked him to state frankly if college life had made him a quicker thinker.

"Yes," said he, without hesitation. "The two years I spent on second base did me a world of good."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

## RUMFORD

A double marriage ceremony took place last week at St. John's Church, Rev. Fr. Bolvin officiating. The parties were Leonard Brayer, Boothbay Harbor, and Miss Minnie Peters of Rumford, and Joseph Blies and Miss Josephine Peters, both of Rumford. Each couple served as witnesses for the other, the brides being sisters.

Dr. G. Douglas Clark, osteopath, has moved into his new office in the Hanson block on Congress Street.

The annual election of officers of the Junior Home Missionary Department of the Methodist resulted as follows: Miss Margaret Hay, president; Miss Grace Welch, vice president; Miss Evelyn Rolfe, secretary; Miss Margaret Eaton, treasurer; Miss Marjory Latham, secretary of mite boxes. The next meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon of this week with Miss Marion Hays, and Miss Priscilla Neff serving on the entertainment committee.

Miss Susie Virginia has left to spend the winter season in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Charles A. Mixer is a guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roullet, of Winthrop, Maine. A travelling loan library comprising 30 volumes has recently been received from the State Library, Augusta, at the local library. These books may be kept here for a period of six months.

The Woman's Bible Class of the Methodist Church have elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Clyde Watson; vice president, Mrs. Elizabeth Greene; secretary, Mrs. Lella Smith; and treasurer, Mrs. Waldo Pettengill. The meetings of this class are held regularly on the first Monday evening of each month.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid of the Virginia District are working on fancy articles, aprons, etc., for the annual Christmas sale, they having a booth in conjunction with the sale to be held at the local Baptist Church on Wednesday, Dec. 12th.

Mrs. Nelson Caruthers and little daughter have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keith, of Harrison.

Mrs. Glendon Stephens of Prospect Avenue is receiving medical treatment in Lewiston.

Master Elmer Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Dennis of Hancock Street, has been ill with the measles. Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCallum of York Street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

Mr. B. A. Evans of Loebness Road is recovering from a recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Evans have left for a month's vacation, part of which they will spend in Portland.

The death of Arthur Baker, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baker, occurred last week at his home on Knox Street. Burial was made in St. John's cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bourgeois of Byron Street announce the engagement of their daughter, Olive, to Cezime Bernard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bernard of Mexico.

Mr. Paul Therrien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Therrien of Mexico, and an employee of the Rumford Falls Times, was married on Monday of this week to Miss Irma Gendron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gendron of Lewiston. The marriage took place at St. Peter's Church in Lewiston. The couple expect to make their home in Mexico.

Miss Isabelle LaBee has returned from the Worcester Hospital, Boston, after having had the second operation for gonorrhea.

Judge A. B. Stearns, P. E. McCarthy, E. J. Rodenick and Dr. W. T. Rowe are on a hunting trip in the Koonago region.

The Auxiliary of the American Legion are to hold a sale on December 28th. The sale will consist of fancy work, aprons and quilts, and the following committee will have it in charge: Mrs. Joseph LaBee and Mrs. Arthur Welch.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association will be held at Hotel Rumford on Tuesday, Nov. 20. It is expected that the meeting will be a very successful one.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gonyea of Bar Harbor have been recent guests at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Gonyea of Pleasant Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hennis and daughter Elizabeth, of Providence, R. I., are in town, staying at Hotel Rumford. Mr. Hennis is the president of the Mount Kisco Water Company.

Miss E. Vera Thomson, who has served as District Nurse for the past year, has resigned her position here to accept the position of Superintendent of Nurses in the Worcester Mass. This is quite a promotion for Miss Thomson in her chosen line of work. The District Nursing Association are not ready to state at this time who may succeed Miss Thomson.

In Society for St. Thomas at St. Ch.

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reux, Post No. 618 of Oxford County have decided to bring a State degree team to Rumford from Waterville on the 18th or 20th of this month. Fifteen applications for membership from Rumford and several from Norway have been turned in, and the probabilities are that candidates from Dixfield and other towns in Oxford County will also be present. Dinner will be served preceding the initiation at K. of P. Hall to the degree team and candidates.

Practically no response has been made to the appeal for funds for the 103rd Infantry Marker Fund. Rumford's quota has been set at \$200, a sum that can and should be easily raised here.

Some of the books added to the Rumford Public Library last week were: "Lost Lady" by Willa Cather; "Timber Wolf" by Jackson Gregory; "Lengthening Shadow" by William J. Locke; "White Flag" by Gene Stratton Porter, and "Timber Wolf" by Grace Richmond.

**DEFERRED**  
Members of the junior class of Rumford High School have chosen as the editorial staff for the new issue of the "Stephens Tribune," the following: Editor-in-Chief, Mary Garrison; assistant editor, Miss Germaine Fortier; athletics, James Shippen; exchange, Clayton Knox; alumni, Kola Bishop; local, Miss Frances Martin; graders, Miss Margaret McCarthy; business managers, Clifton Shea and Walter Kersey; artist, Peter Sobott; secretary, John Stokers.

Mrs. Henry Gauthier left recently for Philadelphia, where she is visiting relatives.

Miss Rose Mercler and Miss Alice Gauthier are planning to spend the winter in Florida. Miss Mercler having already closed her apartment on Penobscot Street and left town.

Rehearsals for the Rumford High School play, "The Private Secretary," are being regularly held, and it is expected that same will be presented some time in December. Miss Elsie Ireland, teacher of oral expression, is directing the play.

Friends in town of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hanley of Augusta, formerly of Rumford, will be pleased to know of the recent arrival of a little daughter in their home. Mrs. Hanley was before her marriage, Miss Ruth Peabody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Peabody of this town.

The ladies of the Universalist church will hold their annual Christmas sale on December 18th at which time a chicken pie supper will be served.

Joseph E. Glazier is the proprietor of the O. K. Lunch which has been opened recently on Exchange Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry P. Johnson of Franklin Street are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter. Mrs. Johnson was before her marriage, Miss Hazel MacGregor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James P. MacGregor.

Work on the ski slide and toboggan chute of the Chisholm Ski Club which has been in progress nearly the entire summer, is just about completed. The club which is soon to get on another membership drive, plan many feature events for the coming winter, including a winter carnival. The membership of the club is at present nearly 500 members, and many more are expected to join. While plans for the carnival are only tentative, it seems assured that they will be carried out. It is planned to have some of the professional ski jumpers here at that time, also a few professional skaters, and to stage some events as well. A meeting of the Association is to be held in the near future to make further plans. At that time, the State Association will be accompanied with, and dates arranged, that they may and conflict with others throughout the State. The local ski slide and toboggan chute is situated on a hillside in the rear of the Rumford garage. It is a natural slope, with a fairly well back at the bottom, which it was necessary to build, and a clear runway of over 400 yards has been prepared and cleared. The rough spots have been smoothed away, and in the center of the slope a jump has been prepared. A huge oak is to be situated near the slide.

Facing an alarming situation in regard to total inadequacy of water supply, both for domestic use and parties for the protection, citizens of the corporation met at a special meeting in the Municipal Building on Wednesday evening of last week to consider and act upon the report of the New England Exchange engineers, which recommended generally every fire fighting facility and department connected with the work, and to take immediate steps to alleviate the situation. The principal recommendation of the engineers was complied with, and committees appointed to investigate and take action on other matters of importance connected with the report. Hon. Waldo Pettengill was chosen moderator, and by suggestion and clear explanation forcefully and concisely stated, did much to clear up confusing situations, which arose, and aid taxpayers in their final decision. It was voted to appropriate \$200 with which to purchase a pair of fire horses. A committee of H. G. Malcher, James MacGregor and R. J. Gonyea were appointed to look up the

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matter of a site for a new fire station. It was voted that a 750 gallon pumper be purchased for use of the fire department, at a cost not exceeding \$12,500. Regarding the water situation a committee of five were appointed to confer with the Trustees of the Water District, as to the best possible location for an additional water supply for the town. The committee was composed of Waldo Pettengill, chairman, Fred P. Latham, P. E. McCarthy, Theodore Hawley and O. J. Gonyea.

The question of a new modern theatre for Rumford, which has been the topic of discussion for the past few weeks, and which was given impetus at a meeting of the Merchants Association some few days ago, when close to ten thousand dollars was pledged by the merchants towards the project, was received enthusiastically when placed before Hon. Hugh J. Chisholm last week. A committee consisting of M. J. Brooks, George Brown and James B. O'Kane were accorded an interview with Mr. Chisholm, and found him very much interested in such a project, and told the committee that he would cooperate with them in every way possible to bring this about. On invitation of the committee, Mr. Chisholm stated that he would be pleased to attend a meeting of the Association at some later date.

October weather: Precipitation, 3.77 inches, 0.57 more than normal; Temperature, maximum 70 degrees on the 13th, minimum 25 degrees on the 24th, mean 48.5 degrees, 1.6 higher than normal and 3.1 degrees higher than October of last year.

Mr. P. E. Goding, who has been in the shoe business in Rumford for over twenty years is selling out his goods, and is to soon leave town and go to Sanford, where he is to become manager of one of the stores in that town.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church will hold their annual Christmas sale on December 12th. Serving as presidents of the Aid for this month of December are Mrs. D. S. Frew and Mrs. H. W. Trask who have appointed the following members to assist on the sale: Mrs. Helen Huxton, chairman of fancy work; Mrs. Charles W. Burdett, pillow slips; Mrs. B. A. Cornell, aprons; Mrs. Irene Cook and Miss Agnes Goodwin, towels; Mrs. George Brown and Mrs. William Waterhouse, luncheon cloths; Mrs. D. S. Frew, refreshments; Mrs. John H. Martin, confections; Mrs. Fred Jackson, food. Serving as presidents for the month of November are Mrs. Henry Clark and Mrs. G. H. Clark.

Members of the local hockey club are selling tickets for the Lewiston Maine club games which will be held in the new arena, Nov. 19th to 21st. The price is open to the general public.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church are to hold their annual sale on December 4th and 5th.

Mrs. Walter Mero and Mrs. Nina Jackson are enjoying a two days visit with Mrs. Mero's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stewart, of Springfield, Mass.

**SUNDAY RIVER**  
Holland Crosby of Arlington, Mass., is visiting at Harry Williamson's.

Homer Ingalls visited at R. M. Bean's, recently.

Ed. Verrill is a business visitor in this place.

Bill Cooke and Aaron Clarke of Haverhill, Mass., who have been visiting at A. O. Hansen's, returned home Wednesday.

Joe Spinney has bought the Frank Chapman place and is moving in.

Mrs. H. M. Kendall has returned home after a two weeks vacation in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Mrs. Fred Monds and son, Ernest, visited at H. M. Kendall's, Saturday.

Frank Spinney and friend took drive with his parents, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Chase are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

## FORD TRUCKS FOR JAPAN

Ford trucks will play an important part in the reconstruction of the devastated sections of Japan and in furnishing transportation for the thousands of inhabitants in the affected regions.

This is indicated by orders coming into the Ford Motor Company.

The first of these was from the City of Tokyo and called for 1000 Ford 1-ton truck chassis.

The entire transportation system of Japan's capital city was destroyed by the earthquake and fire which followed, leaving the city helpless. In a move toward quick recovery the municipality ordered 1,000 Ford trucks and within a short time will have a great fleet of motor busses in operation.

The Tokio order, placed with Sale & Frazer, Ltd., Ford distributors for Japan, was received October 10th. Shipments, made from New York, began at once and the final consignment went out Wednesday, October 31st.

Monthly truck orders from Japan, running usually between 400 and 500 continue to come in, further indicating the demand for the Ford truck.

The Ford assembly plant, parts stock and show rooms at Yokohama were completely destroyed by the earthquake and headquarters in Tokyo was damaged to a considerable extent.

A temporary assembly plant has since been established in Kobe and is now in operation. Work of re-building the plant at Yokohama is being rushed in order to care for the needs of Ford owners in that district.

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